

The tree of a Non-Archimedean hyperbolic plane

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Start with ordered field \mathbb{R}



hyperbolic plane

Start with non-Archimedean
ordered field $\mathbb{R}(\varepsilon)$,

where $\varepsilon > 0$ such that

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_{>0} : \varepsilon < x$$



tree

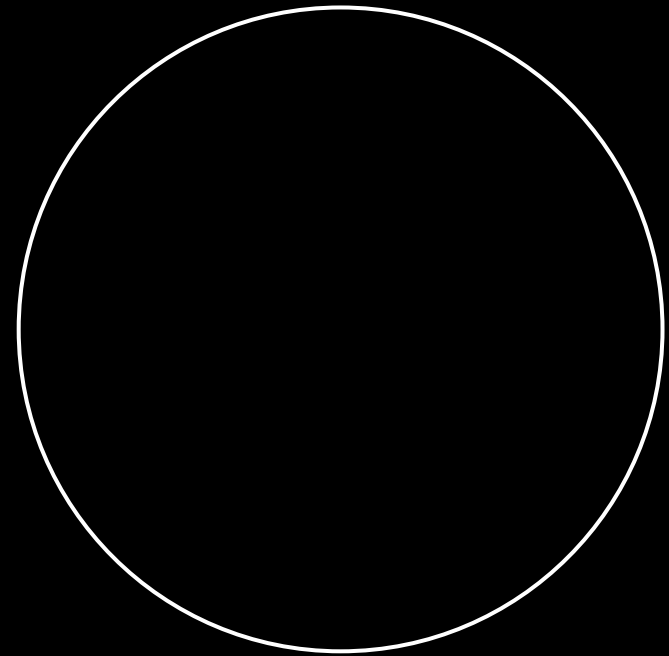
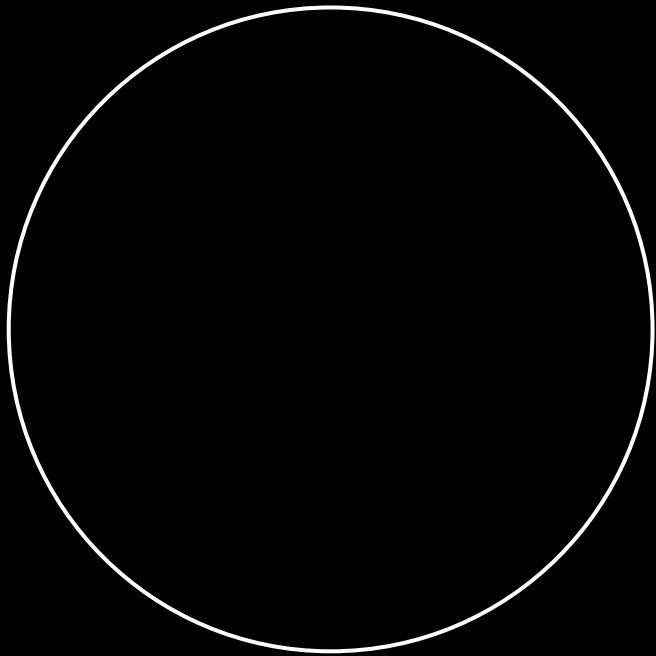
As a set

\mathbb{R}

$\mathbb{R}(\varepsilon) \rightsquigarrow$ Euclidean closure $\overline{\mathbb{R}(\varepsilon)}$

$$\mathbb{H}^2 = \left\{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} < 1 \right\}$$

$$\mathbb{H}_\varepsilon^2 = \left\{ (x, y) \in \overline{\mathbb{R}(\varepsilon)}^2 : \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} < 1 \right\}$$



\mathbb{R}

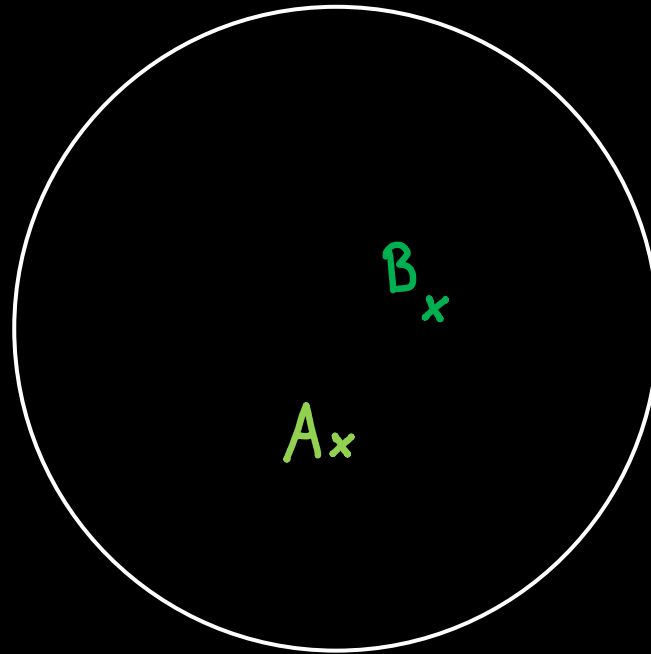
As a metric space

 $\overline{\mathbb{R}(\varepsilon)}$ Crossratio: $cr(A, B)$ Valuation $v: \overline{\mathbb{R}(\varepsilon)} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$d(A, B) := \log cr(A, B)$$

$$d_\varepsilon(A, B) := v cr(A, B)$$

Prop: (\mathbb{H}^2, d)
is a metric space.



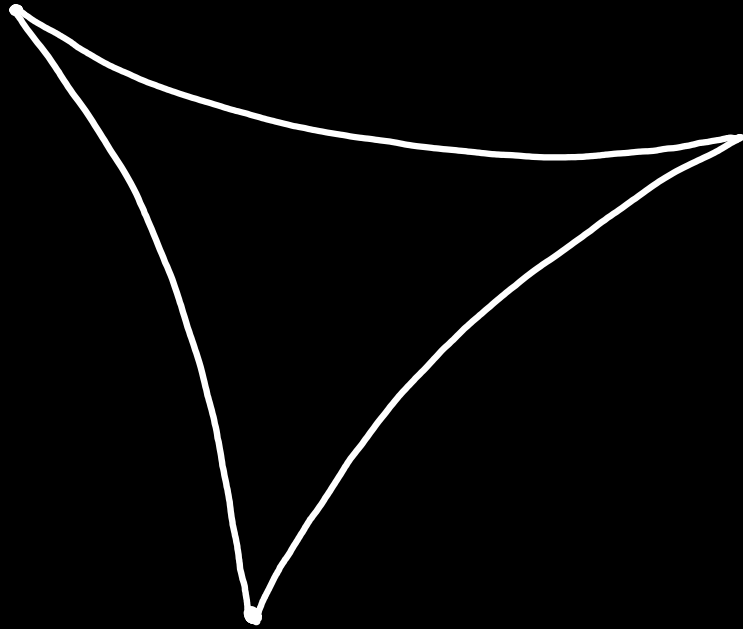
Prop: $(\mathbb{H}_\varepsilon^2, d_\varepsilon)$
is a semi-metric space.

Cor: $(\mathbb{H}_\varepsilon^2 / \sim, d_\varepsilon)$
is a metric space.

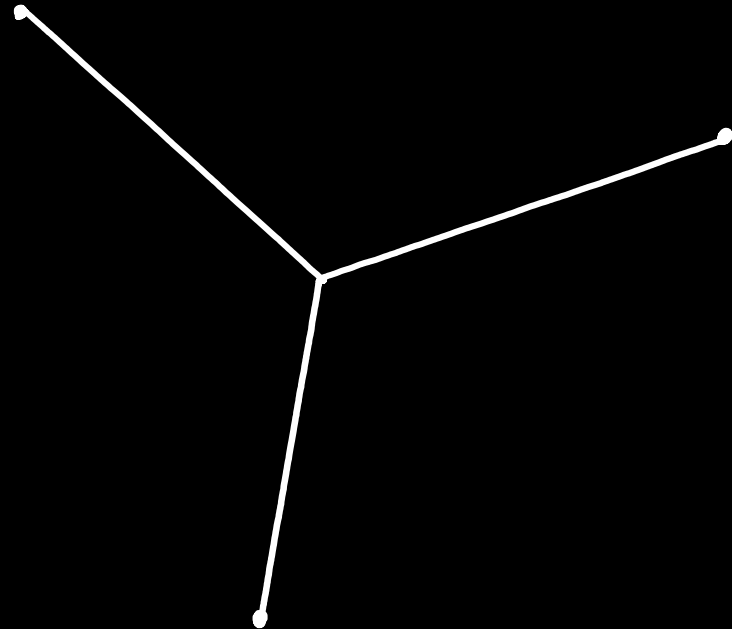
\mathbb{H}^2 is the hyperbolic plane.

How triangles look like

in \mathbb{H}^2 and \mathbb{H}_ε^2



in $\mathbb{H}_\varepsilon^2 / \sim$



Prop: $\mathbb{H}_\varepsilon^2 / \sim$ is a \mathbb{R} -tree.

Thanks for
your attention!



Source: G. W. Brumfiel, *The tree of a Non-Archimedean hyperbolic plane*,
Contemporary Mathematics, Volume 74, 1988.